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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
57273 (47126)

In Re Application Of:

G. Ceve

Serial No.  
09/555,986

Filing Date  
August 17, 2000

Examiner  
G. Kishore

Group Art Unit  
1615

Invention: **METHOD FOR DEVELOPING, TESTING AND USING ASSOCIATES OF MACROMOLECULES AND COMPLEX AGGREGATES FOR IMPROVED PAYLOAD AND CONTROLLABLE DE/ASSOCIATION RATES**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 6/24/02 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

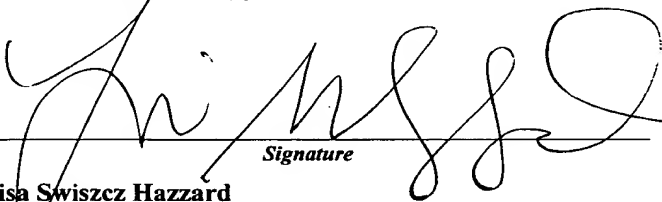
from: September 24, 2002  
Date

until: December 24, 2002  
Date

The fee for the extension of time is **\$920** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1105  
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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 12/13/02 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

  
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